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In re

Patent Application of

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"METHOD FOR FORMING A HEAT
DISSIPATION DEVICE"

Commissioner for Patents
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.104(e)

Sir:

The following comments are submitted in response to the Notice of Allowance.

In the Reasons for Allowance submitted in the Office Action mailed June 16, 2008, the Examiner indicates that the prior art fails to teach or remotely suggest the subject matter set forth in claims 8 and 12, and recite text of claims 8 and 12. The Applicant respectfully submits that the Reasons for Allowance represent only some of the reasons why some of the claims are allowable.

In addition to the subject matter described by the Examiner in connection with claims 8 and 12, the Applicant respectfully submits that a number of other features, elements, functional relationships, and steps claimed in claims 1 and 8-15 provide additional and different bases for allowance of the claims.

The Applicant respectfully submits that each of claims 1 and 8-15 is separately patentable based upon the combinations of features, elements, functional relationships, and steps claimed in claims 1 and 8-15 rather than upon any one feature, element, step, or sub-combination of features, elements, and steps.

Respectfully submitted,



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